

Amendment No. 3 to HB2146

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2133

House Bill No. 2146*

by adding the following new sections immediately preceding the last section and by renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION ____ Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 13, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

§ 49-13-____.

(a) The department of education shall develop a student tracking system to be used to track students who leave charter schools. Such system shall show when and why the student left the charter school. Such system may be modeled on the current tracking system used to determine high school dropout rates. A charter school shall report the data required by the tracking system to the LEA. The department shall include such data in its annual report on charter schools required under § 49-13-120.

(b) The department shall report in writing to the education committee of the house of representatives and the education committee of the senate by October 1, 2009, how changes in funding provided to charter schools under § 49-13-112 occur when students leave charter schools.